

CLAIMS:

1. A device (1', 1'') for storing and reproducing audio and/or video data, the device including a semiconductor memory (3) for storing the audio and/or video data in digital form, characterized in that it includes a conversion unit (4, 5) which converts the digital audio and/or video data into signals suitable for reproducing apparatuses (6, 7), and in
5 that the output lines of the device, on which the useful signals are made available, are connected to the conversion unit.

2. A device as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the conversion unit includes a decoder (4) for decoding compressed and/or encoded data.

3. A device as claimed in claim 1 or 2, characterized in that the conversion unit includes a digital-to-analog converter (5) for converting the digital audio and/or video data into analog signals.

4. A device as claimed in at least one of the claims 1 to 3, characterized in that it is integrated in a microchip.

5. A device as claimed in claim 4, characterized in that it takes the form of a chip card.

6. A device as claimed in at least one of the claims 1 to 5, characterized in that the semiconductor memory (3) is a read-only memory.

7. A device as claimed in at least one of the claims 1 to 6, characterized in that the conversion unit is configurable subject to authorization control and/or irreversibly.